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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- o The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
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  - \$198 for 11 total claims over 20.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
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Submitted herewith is a copy of FORM PTO-1533 together with  
a Declaration and Power of Attorney and Claim for Small Entity  
Status signed by the inventors.

A check in the amount of \$559.00 is also enclosed, which  
includes the government filing fee of \$355.00, \$65.00 for the  
late filing of the signed declaration and \$139.00 for  
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It is now believed that the application should be ready for  
normal processing. In the event any additional information is  
required by the Application Branch it would be appreciated if

they would contact the undersigned attorney of record at the  
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